COMMERCIAL AND FINANCIAL

Pavorable Weather and Strong British Consols Make Wheat Weak,

CLOSE IS AT A BIG THREE-FOURTHS DROP

Other Grains Follow the Leader, but to a Smaller Degree-Provisions Start Firm and Close Unchanged.

CHICAGO, March 10 .- WHEAT-Opened sam today and after a temperary short rally, became heavy again and closed at a Marke decline. Part of the weakness was due to the weather and part to the strength of British consols, which dissipated the war scare. Other markets shared in the weak-ness of wheat—corn declined 4c and oats Me. Provisions closed unchanged.

It has been some time since the market was so dull as it was during the morning hours today. Traders appeared to be un-willing to do business in view of the present uncertainty of political affairs in Europe, and even the bears, with almost everything to encourage them, took hold very gingerly. English consols were unchanged, and Liverpool quoted wheat 4d higher to 4d lower at the opening. Those were the features of the early news which caused wheat to be offered for sale at the were the features of the early news which caused wheat to be offered for sale at the opening from 5c to 74% for May, as compared with 75% at the close yesterday. For the next hour the market showed some strength, the only time during the day. It was reported early in the day that New York exporters had taken freight room for twenty-three boatlonds of wheat for April shipment, and that there was a good inquiry here. The export business at New York was confirmed, and very soon details of cash business core here to the extent of \$8,000 bu, were in circulation. This stiffened the market to 75%. Bradstreet's report, which was expected to show a world's visible decrease of 4,000,000 bu, was a great disappointment when it was announced. It failed to give the decrease in Europe and afloat, find gave only 1,255,000 bu, decrease east of the Rockies. The favorable weather was also a depressing factor, and very good reports as to the crop condition in Kansas were received. Minneapolis and Duluth reported 30 cars, compared with 283 a week ago and 221 the corresponding day of the year before. Chicago received sixteen carlonds, against seventy-three a year ago, but the rail shipments hence were only 95,500 bu. fore. Chicago received sixteen carloads, against seventy-three a year ago, but the rail shipments hence were only 95,500 bu. compared with 37,800 bu. sent out hast year. Flosing continental cables were all lower and consols showed a 1sd advance, and ay, which had railied to 745c, after uching 7456743c. turned weak again and nk to 7456744c. The market closed at 19744c. orn was firm as long as wheet up early in the

touching 74%6174%c, turned weak again and sank to 74%6174%c. The market closed at 74%6174%c.

Corn was firm as long as wheat was going up early in the day and the light receipts steadled the market for a time after that. It became very heavy in the last hour, while wheat was at its ebbs, and the pit, which had been almost deserted, was filled with brokers anxious to unload, their efforts resulting in a sharp decline. Clearances were 752,000 bu. May opened a shade lower at 21%624%c, sold ½c higher, then declined to 21%c, closing weak at 21%624%c. Oats opened steady enough, but sold off later and wound up the day in a decidedly weak condition for futures, although the sample market was firm, due to small receipts. A good deal of liquidation was done chiefly through sympathry with wheat. May opened unchanged at 17½c and declined to 17½c, where it closed.

Provisions started firm on the small hog receipts. At the opening advance packers became free sellers, and as the weakness of the grain pits encouraged shorts to sell also, a gradual decline resulted. English houses gave a little support toward the end, but the final prices were the lowest of the day. At the close May pork was 2½c lower at \$3.0; May lard, 5c lower at \$4.10 and May ribs, unchanged at \$4.37½44.40.

Estimated receipts for Thurslay: Wheat, 13 cars; corn, 130 cars; oats, 190 cars; hogs, 27,000 head.

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March. May July Pork-	15% 17% 18%	15% 17% 18%	15% 17% 18%	15% 17% 18%	16 17% 18%
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Cash quotations were as follows: FLOUR-Steady; winter patents, \$3.402.4.80; straights, \$4.002.4.20; spring specials, \$4.40; spring patents, \$4.002.4.20; straights, \$3.402.70; bakers, \$7.002.2.40. 12.00073.40.
WHEAT—No. 2 spring, 73%@73½c; No. 3 spring, no sales; No. 2 red, 83%@84½c.
CORN—No. 2, 21½c; No. 2 yellow, 21½c.
OATS—No. 2, 16½@16%c; No. 2 white, f. o, b., 19613½c; No. 3 white, 17½c.

96324c. No. 3 white, 174c.

RYE-No. 2, 24c.

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RABLEY-No. 2, nominal; No. 3, f. o. b.,

244632c; No. 4, f. o. b., 236725c,

FLANSEED-No. 1, 75676c,

TIMOTHY SEED-Prime, \$2.70.

PROVISIONS-Mess pork, per bbl., \$8.2568.30.

Lard, per 100 lbs., \$4.0064.05. Short ribs, sides

1cose), \$4.3066150. Dry salted shoulders (boxed),

4.5064.76. Short clear sides (boxed), \$4.5064.62.

WHISKY-Distillers' finished goods, per gal.,

1.17.

.17, SUGARS—Cut leaf, \$5.14; granulated, \$4.51. The following were the receipts and shipments

Articles.	Receipts.	Shipments
Flour, bbls Wheat, bu Corn, bu Oats, bu Rye, bu	485,000 7,000	105,000 351,000
On the Produce exchange ket was steady; dreamer; 16c. Eggs. woak; fresh. Biss:10%c. Dressed poul lower, old and young, 7c; ducks, firm, Sigsite; goese.	55,000 totay the b y. 10 \$18c: 10c. Ches try, steady turkeys, fi	20,000 uttor mar- dalry, 92 se, stendy ; chickens

NEW YORK GENERAL MARKET. Quetations of the Day on General

Commodities. NEW YORK, March 10.-FLOUR-Receipts, 17 .-491 bbis.; exports, 1,358 bbls. Dull, with buyers and sellers 16c to 26c apart on spring patents; Minnesota bakers, \$3.754(3.90; winter patents, \$4.60 64 10. Southern flour, quiet. Rye flour, dull. Buckwheat flour, dull.

BUCKWHEAT-Steady; 25%c. CORN MEAL-Steady; yellow western, 27%@

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RYE—Quiet; 25%c.
BARLEY MALT—Dull; western, 45%62c.
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WHEAT—Spot, weak; No. 2 red, 84%c; No. 1 hard, 87%c. Options opened weak under hearish foreign advices, and better domestic crop news; was unsettled all day on rumors about the government report, and closed weak and heavy in the absence of demand, at %1%c het decline. Sales included: No. 2 red, March, closed, 81%c; May, 81%g81c; closed, 80%c.

CORN—Receipts, 72.156 bu; exports, 26.727 bu; Spot, steady; No. 2 25%c; steamer mixed, 57c.
Options opened steady, but declined on better weather news and sympathy with wheat, closing \$40%c closed, 25%c.

OATS—Receipts, 121.706 bu; exports, 36.117 bu. Spot, easier; No. 2, 25c. Options opened weak, with other markets, closing %c lower; May closed, 21%c.

HAY—Quiet; shipping, 50%655c; good to choice. other months 32 lower. Business equally distributed all day on rumors about the government report, and closed weak and heavy in the absence of demand, at %17% at the felline. Sales included: No. 2 red March, closed, 81%; and 18,48%. CORN—Receipts, 72,156 bu.; exports, 36,727 bu.; Spot, steady; No. 2, 25%; steamer mixed, 37c. Options opened steady, but declined on better weather news and sympathy with wheat closing 3,45% net lower; March closed, 29%; May, 29%; GATS—Receipts, 121,200 bu.; exports, 30,117 bu. Spot, easier; No. 2, 27c. Options opened weak, with other markets, closing %c lower; May closed 21%; May, 29%; May

Pennsylvania, 116/12/2c; western, 117/13/15.

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PitoVisioNS-Beef, quiet; family, \$8.600/11.00;
extra mess, \$7.50/8/30; beef hams, \$15.00/2/30; ec;
packet, \$7.50/8/30; city, extra india mess, \$12.50/8/
15.00. Cut meats, steady; pickled beilies, \$4.60
blue; pickled shoulders, 51/16; pickled hams, \$1.60
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quiet and steady. Sales, 51,500 bales; Jan-56,55; March, 55,55; April, 55,50; May, 57,43; 57,67; July, 57,41; August, 57,77; September, October, 18,74; November, 55,76; December, The muriet opened quiet, with prices to higher to 1 points lower. This was fol-by an advance of from 2 to 5 points on late cables, but speculative support failed stringlise and light becal setting caused a 11 reaction. Throughout the session the theld a firm undertone and considerable size was shown. Market closed steady at vance of 2 points.

OMAHA GENERAL MARKET.

Condition of Trade and Quotations on

Staple and Fancy Produce, EGGs-Fresh gathered, Sc. BUTTER-Common to fair, 716@Se; eliotee ancy roll, logize; separator creamery, 18c; gath-GAME-Blue winged teal ducks, \$1.75;

This is the state of the state VEAL-Choice for 16 to 120 lbs, are quoted at \$675c. large and course, 495c.
DIRESSED FOULTRY-Chickens, 6964c; turseys, heas, 1984c; ducks, 895c.
LIVE FOULTRY-Hens, 5854c; cocks, 357c.
FIGEONS-Lave, 75695c; dead pigeons not conted.

rinted, HAY-Upland, M.te; midland, \$3.50; lewland, 3; rye straw, \$3.50; color makes the price on may; light bales sell the best; only top grades ny; usat sent the bear oring top prices.

BROOM CORN-Extremely slow sale; new crop, delivered on track in country; choice green, self-working carpet, per th. 2524c; choice green, running to hurl, 2524c; common, lije.

VEGETABLES.

PIE PLANT-Per doz. 60c. SWEET POTATOES-Fancy Illinois, per bbl.

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LIMA HEANS—Per lb. 40.

BEANS—Hand picked navy, per bu., \$1.10\(\text{10}\) 12.00.

CABBAGE—Fancy stock, per 100 lbs., \$2.00.

CELERY—Fer dox., \$2.00.

FRUITS.

MALAGA GRAPES—Per keg, \$7.

CRANBERRIES—Bert Jersey, per bbl., \$5.60;

boxes, \$1.40\(\text{pl.}\) 150.

APPLES—Extra fancy, large, \$2.25\(\text{pl.}\) 250.

CALIFORNIA PEARS—Per box, \$1.75.

TROPICAL FRUITS.

ORANGES—California navals, \$150 to 200s, \$3.75;

large sizes, \$3.25\(\text{pl.}\) 25\(\text{pl.}\) 250.

LEMONS—Messinas, \$1.25\(\text{pl.}\) 25\(\text{pl.}\) 250.

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MISCELLANEOUS.

NUTS—Almonds, California per lb., large size, 13c, large size, 13c, large, \$2.10c, large, large, large, \$2.10c, large, large, large, large, large, large, large, large, lar

bbl. \$4.0064.2 MAPLE SYRUP-Five gal. cans, each, \$2.50 gal. cans, pure, per doz. \$12; half-gal. cans, \$6.25; quart cans. \$1.50. HIDES, TALLOW, ETC.

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HIDES—No. 1 green hides, 5c; No. 2 green hides, 5c; No. 1 green saited mides, 5c; No. 2 green saited hides, 5b; No. 1 green saited hides, 5b; No. 2 green saited hides, 5b; No. 1 veal calf, 8 to 12 lbs., 5c; No. 2 vent calf, 8 to 15 lbs., 4c; No. 1 dry flint hides, 95; No. 2 dry flint hides, 5b; No. 1 dry flint hides, 95; No. 2 dry flint hides, 5b; No. 1 dry saited hides, 5b; part cured hides, 5c; No. 1 dry saited hides, 5b; part cured hides, 5c; No. 1 dry saited hides, 5b; part cured hides, 5c; No. 1 dry saited hides, 5b; part cured hides, 5c; No. 1 dry saited hides, 5b; part cured hides, 5c; No. 1 dry saited hides, 5b; part cured hides, 5c; No. 1 dry saited hides, 5b; part cured hides, 5c; ach, 15c; dry shearings (short wooled early skins), No. 1, each, 5c; dry flint, Kansas and Nebraska butcher wool peits, per 1b, actual weight, 465c; dry flint Colorado butcher wool pelts, per 1b, actual weight, 5b; dry flint Colorado butcher wool pelts, per 1b, actual weight, 7b; created weight, 7b; created hides, per 1b, actual weight, 7b; created and butcher.

TALLOW AND GREASE—Tallow, No. 1, 24; c; tallow, No. 2, 2c; grease, white 13 2c; grease, yellow, 2c; grease, dark 13c; old butter, 25; 2c; beeswax, prime, 15; 22c; rough tallow, 1c.

WOOL—Unwashed, fine heavy, 567c; fine light, 567c; quarterblood, 105; 12c; seedy, burry and charty, 567e; cuted and broken, coarse, 759c, cotted and broken, fine, 146; 6c; tub washed, 166; 18c; black, 8c bucks, 5c; tag locks, 263c; dead pulled, 559c.

FONES—In car acts, weighed and delivered in black, Sc. bucks, Sc; tag locks, 263c; dead pulled, 5456...

HONES—In car tots, weighed and delivered it Chicago: Dry Ruffnto, per ton, \$12.00514.00; dry country, bleached, Der ton, \$10.00512.00; dry country damp and meaty, per ton, \$6.00518.00.

GOVERNMENT MARCH CROP REPORT

Quantity and Proportion Held by Farmers is Unprecedented. WASHINGTON, March 10.—The crop report of the Department of Agriculture, based on returns from three independent sets of regular correspondents relative to the distribution of the principal grains, the stocks remaining on farms, he proportions of merchantable and unmerchantthe proportions of merchantable and unmerchantable, has been issued. All grain in the hands of farmers, including amounts remaining over from provious years, is included in the estimates given. Corn in hand, as estimated, aggregates 1,184,000 000 bushels, or all per cent of the last crop, against 1,072,000,000 bushels in March, 1894. Both the proportion and the quantity in original hands at this estimate were unprecedented, at though closely approached last year and March, 1890. Correspondents report large stocks in cribs, particularly in the prairie states, awaiting better prices. The asyrepate sold from farms to so particularly in the prairie states, awaiting better prices. The aggregate sold from farms to go beyond county lines is 623,000,000 bushels, or 27.5 per cent of the crop. The proportion merchantable is 1,926,000,000, or 34.8 per, cent. The wheat reserve in farmers' hands amounts to 20.6 per cent of the crop, or 58,000,000 bushels, against 123,000,000 bushels last March. Of this amount 3 per cent is reported as carried over from previous crops. The proportion of wheat sold outside the county is 51.7 per cent. Of oats there are 318,000,000 bushels, are cent of the lase crop, yet in farmers' hands. The proportion chipped beyond county lines is 27 per cent.

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St. Louis March 10.—FLOUR—Firm; patents, 14.0034.75; extra fancy, 14.2494.30; fancy, \$3.5034.75; choice, \$1.543.25.

WHEAT—Futures opened dull and drasging, there being a scarcity of important news and but little speculation. The fluctuations were within a narrow range, and the close from \$6\$ to ic lower than yesterday. Spot, easy, and the close from \$6\$ to ic lower than yesterday. Spot, easy, and the close from \$6\$ to ic lower than yesterday. Spot, easy, and the close from \$6\$ to ic lower than yesterday. Spot, easy, and the close from \$6\$ to ic lower; No. 2 red, cash, elevator, \$6\$; track, 16925; May, 88c bid; July. 114c bid; August, 104c.

CORN—Futures inactive and weaker, local receipts being heavier and the speculative demand light. The close was \$6\$ to \$6\$ under yesterday for May and July. Spot, lower; No. 2, cash, 21c bid. May, 21%,621%c; July, 234c.

OATS—Futures dull and weak, with heavy receipts and no speculative demand. Spot, steady, No. 2 cash, 17%c bid; May, 18%,618%c.

HYP—Higher at 32c bid.

BARLEY—Dull, malting, 28%,25c.

CORN MEAL—\$1.4094.145.

BRAN—Continues firm, with but little to be had; sucked, east track, worth nominally 50,666c.

HAY—Quiet and steady; prairie, 14.0075.75; timothy, \$6.09510.75.

DRESSED POULTRY—Chickens lower; old and young, 7c; turkeys, firm at \$850c; ducks, firm at \$850c; turkeys, firm at \$850c; ducks, firm at \$850c; furkeys, firm at \$850c; ducks, firm at \$850c.

BUTTER-Firm, creamory, 1949/1920; dairy, 8 fblo.

EGGS-Firm at 8½c,
WHISKY-81.18.
METAIS-Lead, quiet and firm; \$3.15@2.20.
Spelter, firm; \$3.90 bid.
COTTON TIES-Unchanged,
BAGGING-Unchanged,
PROVISIONS-Pork, lower; standard mess, job-bing, \$8.10@8.00. Lard, lower; prime steam, \$4.50; choice, \$4.02½, Bacon (boxed), shoulders, \$4.52; extra short clear, \$5; ribs, \$5.25; shorts, \$5.27½, Dry salt meats (boxed) shoulders, \$4.62½; extra short clear, \$4.62½; ribs, \$4.75; shorts, \$4.87½, Receipts: Flour, 2.000 bbls; wheat, \$1.000 bu; corn, \$11,000 bu; oats, \$2.000 bu.

Shipments: Flour, 4.000 bbls; wheat, \$1.000 bu; corn, 72,000 bu.; oats, \$4.000 bu.

Liverpool Grain and Provisions. LIVERPOOL, March 10.—WHEAT—Spot, quiet; demand poor; No. 2 red spring, 6s 3½d; No. 1 California, 6s 6½d. Futures opened dull and unchanged, closed quiet, with July ½d lower, and other months ½d lower. Business equally distributed. March, 6s 2½d; May, 6s 3½d; July, 6s

CHERSE-Strady; demand poor; finest American white and colored 57s.

RUTTER-Finest United States 25s; good, 55s.
OHS-Turpentine, spirits, 21s. Rosin, common, 5s 64. Cottorseed, Liverpool, refined, 65s 51. Idensed, 15s 64. Fetroleum, refined, 65d.

REFRIGERATOR BEEF — Forequarters, 46; hindquarters, 25d.

RICACHING FOWDER-Hard wood, f. o. b. Liverpool 26 is.

HOPS-At London, Facific coast, 23 15s.

Pic. Lard. easier; western steam, closed, \$4.20.
Fork, steady; mess, \$1.5901.00; short clear, \$2.750
10.25. family \$1.500710.25. Tallow, dull; city, \$2.500.
OHS.—Petroleum, quiet; refined. \$6.20; Peansylvania crude, higher; April, 50.50 to hear. \$2.750.

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show a strong front: exchange, \$1.40g2.6. Lead, continues to show a strong front: exchange, \$1.40g2.6. Tin. dull straits, \$11.40g1.15c; plates, quiet. Speiter, quiet at \$1.00g1.15c; plates, quiet at \$1.00g1.15c; pl

gage 3 per cent bonds; Jefferson & Clearfield Coal and Iron company stock and bonds amounting to \$4,500,000, and Grand Rapids Gas Light com-pany first mortgage 5 per cent 20-year gold founds and \$1,000,000 capital stock of the same com-

STOCKS AND BONDS.

Traders Wait for Something to Turn Up and Lack Buoyancy. NEW YORK, March 18.—The stock market oc-upled a position today similar to that of Mr. Micawher in his expectant moods, except that there was a notable lack of the jaunty and bucyant confidence which would have made Mr. Micawher a buil in Wall street on the slightest provocation. Wall street, on the contrary, has been determined to take no notice of very many been determined to take no notice of very many favorable factors in the general outlook, and to linist on definite knowledge on one or two subjects in the immediate prospect before buying stocks with any great amount of enthusiasm. One of these subjects is the final decision of the powers of Europe as to whether they will stree or disagree on the disposition of Crete and its inhabitants. Although a much better tone was reflected from the European exchanges totally the deglers here apparently fear that there will forther fants fall for damage of values in the sit. "Gion and ind market was even more restricted than of jate Burely forces shares changed hands to the street was even more restricted than of jate Burely forces shares changed hands to." At these fully two-firths were easy in the list, showing stocks in which there was not a single bid to record. Of the anthractic roal groups there was not a single sale in any stock, but New Jessey Central and Reading. The intermational chares were slightly higher in propathy with the London market, but apparently had no effect on the jist. The declaration of reveral dividends, usually calculated to give tone to the market, passed without anotice. Encouraging reports of the current earlings of railroads and the prospects for traffic were equally without effect on the stagmany of the market, except in a slight degree in the grangers. Omaha showed some erratic changes, with an easier tendency. Tobacco was most hargely dealt in of the stocks, and rose strongly 25, to 73, the preferred gaining 1½ and the scrip. 2. There was no explicit information to account for the rise. Rubber developed a marked reastionary tendency in the late session, receding 25, for the common and 3½ for the preferred, the former subsequently regaining the fraction. Sugar moved narrowly on lighter transactions than usual. Manhattan lost eligibility and Western Union. The changes in the rule except in which tost ½ on an unfavorable interpretation of the annual report. Consolidated Gas Pullman and New Y avorable factors in the general outlook, and to axist on definite knowledge on one or two sub-

be leading stocks of the New York exchange Illinois Centrai... St. P. & Duluth ... K. & T. pki Lake Erie & West. do pki Lake Shore ... 18 do pfd ... 30% Minn. & St. Louis. 10 Den. & K. G. ... 65% Gen. Electric. ... 160 Nat'l Linseed. ... 24% Col. Fael & I. ... 40% do pfd ... 41 Tol. St. L. & K. C. ... 83% do pfd ... 15 Southera ... 93 Southera pfd ... 19% Tobacco. ... Laike Shore.
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Total sales of stocks today were 20,780 shares, including the following: American Tobacco, 19,700; Manhattan Consolidated, 6,700; Missouri Pacific, 5,200; St. Paul, 7,500; New Jersey Central, 3,000. New York Money Market. NEW YORK, March 10 - MONEY ON CALL-Easy at 11/6/14, per cent; last loan, 11/2 per cent closing offered at 11/6/14, per cent; prime mer antile paper, 364 per cent. STERLING ENCHANGE-Lower, with actus

ousiness in bankers' bills at \$4.8764.87% for d mand and \$4.854.64.85% for sixty days; post ates, \$4.8564.85% and \$4.8864.88%; commerci SILVER CERTIFICATES 63% 644c, MILVER CERTIFICATES 63% 644c, MENICAN DOLLARS 49%c, STATE BONDS - Dull, RAULROAD BONDS-Firm,

U. S. new 4s, reg	123%	Erie 2ds	6534
U. S. new coup	123 %	G. H & S. A. 68	104
U. S. 5s. reg	114	do 78	9536
U. S. 5a. coup	114	H. & T. C. 58	10819
U. S. 4s, reg	111	do 6a	101
U. S. 4s, coup	11354	M., R & T 181 48.	8434
U. S. 28, rog	95%	do 2d 4s	5914
Pacific ds of '85	103 9	Mutual Union 6s	110
Ala., class A	104	N. J. C. Gen. 58	11454
Ala., class B	101	No. Pacific Ists	116%
Ala., class C	94	do 2ds	55
Ala Currency	96	N. W. Consols	141
La. New Con. 4a	9050	do S. F. Deb.	112
Missouries	100	R. G West, 1sta	7.3
N. C. 68	126	St. P. Consols 7s	13336
N. C. 48	102%	do C. & P. W. 58.	1134
S. C. nonfund		St. L. & L.M. Gan.5	7414
Tenn. new set 5s	105	St. L. & S. F. Gen. S.	1111%
Tenn. new set 3s	80	Texas Pac. 1sts	89
Tenn. old 68		Texas Pac. 2ds	2114
do deferred	6	U. P. 18ts of '96	10136
Atchison 48	821	West Shore 45	
Atchison 2d A		L. & N. unified 4s. Southern 5s	79%
Canada So. 2d	30712	O P C N L	80%
C. P. 1sts of '93	10012	O. R. & N. 1818	113
D. & B. G. 78	110	O. R. & N. 4s	8314
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American Sugar	115%	Wis, Central	200
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Bay State Gas	. 0	Gen. Elec. pfd	77
Bell Telephone	22434	Atchison pfd	2234
Boston & Albany.	210	Atchison 4s	80
Roston & Maine	161	New England 6s Gen. Flec. 5s	1134
Poston & M. pfd	101	Gen. Flee. bs	0.43
C. B. & Quinner	2.924	W1a, Cent. 18	39%
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General Electric	3476	Atlantic	20%
Illinois Steel	0.026	Boston & Montana	121
Mexican Central N. Y. & N. E	60	Butte & Bost n	164
Old Colony		Calumet & Hecia	375
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Rubber	1746	Kearsarge	18
San Diego	96	Osceola	331
Union Pacific	617.6	Quincy	118
West End	735	Tamarack	191
West End pfd	91	Wolverine	93
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San Francisco Mining Quotations. SAN FRANCISCO. March 10.—The official clea-ing quotations for mining stocks today were as follows: Julia Kentacky Con.... Mexican Odcidental Con... Ophtr. ulwer Con..)verman

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OMAHA LIVE STOCK MARKET Nice Supply of Catt'e, but a Light Run

of Hogs.

BUSINESS BRISK AT FULL STEADY PRICES

Buyers Complete of the Quality, but Take Everything Offered_Hogs Searce and Up to 10 Cents Higher.

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The Cudahy Packing Co. 616
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SHEEP-Of the fifteen double dec-four were consigned direct to a killer ply on the market was hardly up to in fight or quality, but the demand wo full steady prices. Representative sa

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Cattle Sales Slow and Prices a Dime Lower_Hogs Active. CHICAGO, March 10 .- Sales of cattle were slow and prices were generally 10c lower, Common to fair steers sold at from \$2.70 to \$4.50 and good to choice export and shipping cattle were saken at from \$4.60 to \$5, with sales largely at saken at from \$4.00 to \$5. with sales largely at from \$4.10 to \$4.85. There was a good demand for stockers and feeders at from \$3.50 to \$4.20. Cows and helfers sold largely at from \$2.50 to \$3.75. Calves sold at from \$3.50 to \$6.19. Texas fed cattle were lower, steers going as low as \$3.85. There was a good demand for hogs and prices moved up 5c. There were too few offerligs to go around, and the hogs were soon disposed of at from \$3.45 to \$3.90 for coarse heavy to prime light. The bulk of the hogs crossed the scales at from \$3.75 to \$3.55, heavy packing lots at from \$3.45 to \$2.50.

Trade in sheep was fairly active at steady prices. Sales were made at from \$2.75 to \$3.55 for inferior to commen, up to from \$4.10 to \$4.35 for good to prime heavy multions. Westerns brought from \$3.50 to \$4.35. Lambs were in poorer demand at from \$2.75 to \$2.55. So for poor to prime, yearlings bringing from \$4.10 to \$4.40. Western lambs sold slowly and shorn western lambs brought from \$4.25 to \$4.50.

Receipts: Cattle, \$4.500 head; hogs, \$5,000 head; sheep, \$1,000 head;

WEEKLY PACKING HOUSE OUTPUT.

Killing of Hogs is Nearly One-Half Larger Than a Year Ago. CINCINNATI, March 10.—(Special Telegram.)— fomorrow's Price Current will say: The marketing of hogs has been considerably reduced although continuing fairly liberal for the time of year. The western killings for the week have been approximately 315,000, compared with 390,000 the preceding week and 215,000 last year. Promi-rent places show the following comparisons since

St. Louis Live Stock.

ST. LOUIS, March 10.—CATTLE—Receipts, 3,000 head; market active and steady; fancy expert steers, 15.00\(\) 55. active shipping steers, 16.00\(\) 65. SHEEP-Receipts, 760 head; market steady; native, \$3.5694.25; lambs, \$4.2595.56; Texas sheep, 2,3093.90; spring lambs, \$8.00910.60.

Kansas City Live Stock.

KANSAS CITY, March 10.—CATTLE—Recelpts, 5,500; shipments, 2,700 head; best grades firm, others weak to 10c lower; Texas steers, \$3,702, 4,25; Texas cows, \$2,1507,320; native steers, \$3,702, 500; native cows and heifers, \$1,7567,325; stockers and feeders, \$2,5557,435; bulls, \$2,6567,330.

HOGS—Recelpts, 11,000 head; shipments, 600 head; market strong to 1½c higher: bulk of sales, \$3,567,375; heavies, \$3,707,375; packers, \$3,557,300; and \$3,507,375; packers, \$3,557,300; and \$3,507,375; packers, \$3,557,300; and \$3,507,300; and \$3,

New York Live Stock. and steady; veals, \$4.0006.75.
SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 4,463 head.
Active and slightly firmer; sheep, \$4.0004.70; lambs, \$5.0007.90.
HOGS—Receipts, 1,579 head. Weak.

Stock in Sight. Record of receipts of live stock at the four rincipal markets for March 10;
 Omaha
 Cattle, Hogs. Sheep.

 Omaha
 2.742
 3.745
 2.975

 Chicago
 14.500
 25.000
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 Karsas City
 3.000
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 500

 St. Louis
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Coffee Markets.

NEW YORK, March 10.—COFFEE—Options opened steady 19515 points decline, following weakness in European markets, and further declined 5 points, with a still later loss of \$261f in Havre, but improved 5 points with a favorable turn in the cable news, and closed steady 19515 points net decline. Sales, 21,000 bass; May, 38,69 \$8,65. Spot, weak; Rio, No. 7, 49,25; Involve, 39,75 jobbing. Mild, quiet: Cordova, 215,009,16,25, Total warehouse deliveries from the United States, 15,528 bass, including, 10,445 bags; stock today, 245,605 bags; beluding, 10,455 bags; stock today isible for the United States, 742,347 bags, against 481,684 bags last year.

SANTOS, March 10.—COFFEE—Santos, quiet; good average Santos, 11,200 reis. Receipts, 15,600 bags.

HAMIURG, March 10.—COFFEE—Lipfg, lower, Sales, 13,000 bags. Sales, 13,000 bags.

HIO, March 10.—COFFEE—Steady; No. 7 Rio, 15,550 reis; exchange, 75d. Receipts, 14,000 bags; stock, 291,000 bags.

HAVRE, March 10.—COFFEE—Closed about steady at a net gain of 154,67214f. Sales, 35,000 bags.

KANSAS CITY, March 10.—WHEAT—Dull, about steady; No. 2 hard, 16677c; No. 3, 79673c; No. 4, 62666c; No. 2 red, 824,693c; No. 3, 8569; No. 4, 74685c; No. 2 spring, 74677c; No. 3, D672c. CORN-Firm and active: No. 2 mixed, 17c. OATS-Rather slow, but steady; No. 2 white, 18g29c, RYE-Steady; No. 2, 29c, HAY-Firm and unchanged; timothy, \$8.10%,9.00; prairfe, \$5.00@5.50, BUTTER-Unchanged; creamery, 18@17c; dairy,

Sugar Markets. Sugar Markets.

IONDON, March 10.—SUGAR—Cane, quiet; light demand; centrifugal Java, 11s; Muscovado, fair refining, 5s. Beet quiet but firm; March, 5s, 1036; April, 5s, 1136.

NEW YORK, March 10.—SUGAR—Raw, streng; fair refining, 2 13-16c; centrifugal, 86 test, 3 13-16c; sales, 12.100 bags centrifugal to arrive, 56 test, 3 13-16c; 1,400 bags Muscovado, 89 test, 2 13-16c, Refined, firm; mould A. 45c; standard A. 45c; confectioners' A. 45c; cut louf, 5c; crusied, 5c; powdered, 45c; granulated, 45c; cubes, 45ac.

NEW YORK, March 10.—In the Jobbing department of trade a large bushless has been in motion, and though engagements were more moderate than formerly, the large number of buyers present makes up for any deficiency in amounts. In commission house circles quite a number of important buyers were present, and considerable business was done in a quiet way. Printing cloths are quiet at 2.9-16c.

PEORIA, March 10.-CORN-Firm; new No. 1 Changes in the Visible Supply.

NEW YORK, March 10.—Following is Brad-street's weekly review of charges in the visible supply of grain in the United States and Can-ada: Wheat, United States and Canada, east of the Rockies, decrease 120 000 by; corn, United State and Canada, east of the Ecclies, decrease 32,000 by; cats, United States and Canada, east of the Rockies, decrease 533,000 by. Toledo Markets.

Toledo Markets.

Toledo, March 16.—WHEAT-Lower; dull;
No. 2 cash, 154c; May, 895c.
CORN-Active; steady: No. 2 mixed, 124c.
OATS-Hisher dull; No. 2 mixed, 184c.
RYE-Dull, steady: No. 2 cash, 35c.
CLOVER SEED-Active, firm; price cash, 45.16;
March, 81.5.
OIL, Unchanged. Oil City Markets. OIL CITY March 10 -Certificates, flac bid at 220 p. m. Shipment, 50 660 bb s.; runs, 97,835 bbls.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 10. - WHEAT -Pirmer; December, \$1.18; May, \$1.34%. Minneapolis Wheat Quotations. MINNEAPOLIS, March 10. - WHEAT-Quiet



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Financial Notes.

BALTIMORE. March 10.-Clearings, \$2,191,678; balances, 175,120. NEW YORK, March 10.—Clearings, \$98,784,545; alances, \$5,551,060. PHILADELIPHIA, March 10,—Clearings, \$9,368,-81; balances, \$1,352,351. ST. LOUIS, March 10.—Clearings, \$4,312,217; balances, \$542,246. Money, 5697 per cent. New York exchange, 25c discount bid; par asked. CHICAGO. March 10.—Clearings, \$11,187,118; New York exchange, 50c discount. Foreign ex-change firm; demand, \$4.87\(\frac{1}{2}\); sixty days, \$4.85\(\frac{1}{2}\).

Foreign Financial. BEHLIN, March 10.—Exchange on London, eight days' sight, 20m 40pfgs. PARIS, March 10.—Three per cent rentes, 102f 125c for the account. Exchange on London, 25f 75c for checks.

MADE MESSENGER OPEN THE SAFE. Train Robbers Secure a Rich Prize

from an Alabama Train. LOUISVILLE, March 10 .- A special from Birmingham, Ala., says: The northbound express train, No. 4, on the Louisville 5 Nashville road, due at Louisville at 12:25 today, was held up by six masked men near Calera Tuesday morning. The train had stopped at a water tank in the woods when two men boarded the engine and covered the engineer and fireman with pistols and forced them to uncouple the locomotive and express car from the remainder of the train and run forward half a mile with it. Here four men were in waiting. The mes-senger refused to open the car, when the door was broken open, the messenger cov-ered with pistols and forced to open the safe. A number of packages of money were secured. The total amount is not known, but it is said to have been large. A posse is in pursuit of the robbers, having gone from Birmingham on a special train at 2 o'clock

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., March 10 .- Nothing has yet been heard from Sheriff O'Brien and deputies, who went out with bloodhounds to the scene of the holdup of the Louisville & Nashville last night. Details of the robbery are meager. Two miles this side of Calera train No. 4, due here at 12:22, was stopped by an armed man who stood on the platform of the mail car and ordered the engineer, Sam Calloway, to reverse his engine. the men secured a number of valuable pack-ages. They excerted the engineer back to the engine, made him couple up and ordered. The condition of the weather was threatthe engine, made him couple up and ordered him to pull out. None of the other coaches were disturbed. The number of men in the affair is estimated at from four to six, and the amount secured all the way from \$1,000 the police, the weather but reau and the newspaper offices were flooded to the condition of the weather was threat-weight when the people saw these administration of the weather was threat-weight when the people saw these administration of the weather was threat-weight with the same and the newspaper offices were flooded to the people saw these administrations and the newspaper offices were flooded to the people saw threat-weight with the people saw these administrations are people saw there are people saw these administrations are people saw there are people saw these administrations are people saw there are people saw these administrations are people saw there are

The dispatches from Washington, predicting that congress at its special session will at once increase the revenue by adding from 10 to 35 per cent to the schedules of the Wilson bill, have created a small panic among incompanions. Wilson bill, have created a small canic among importers and an almost unprecedented rush to get bunded goods out of the warshouses before the threatened increase takes effect. The proposed summary action of congress has taken merchants completely by surprise. While they were prepared for a special session to pass a new tariff law, they expected that the new bill would occupy the attention of congress for at least eix menths, which would give them ample time to withdraw the \$19,500,000 worth of goods which were in bond on January 21. It had never occurred to them that congress might adopt a temporary measure for increasing the revenue and the possibility of being unable to get their goods out of bond at the oresent rate of duty caused a genuine sensation. It is understood that Butterfield & Co. and other importers of dress goods are among the heaviest withdrawers. In they could be persuaded to leave. In the meantime the police were busy tearing up the awe-inspiring placards and assuring the people there was no danger. A cold reception awaits the theatrical company, and its advance agent has suddenly disappeared.

To Regulate Sky-Scrapers.

NEW YORK, March 10.—The Real Estate exchange has adopted the report of the special committee appointment to consider and report on the question of limiting the beight of the buildings hereafter to be built in this city. The report recommends the appointment or a committee to revise the buildings laws and to map the city by districts and to determine the height of buildings to be creeted in each district. Until the commission shall have reported to the legislature, the commission shall have reported

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one of the banks a loan of \$500,000 was ne-gotiated by a big importing firm for the purpose of withdrawing goods from bond and the payment of duty thereon.

GAVE THE PEOPLE A GREAT SCARE.

Theatrical Agent Starts a Paulo Among St. Louis Residents. ST. LOUIS, March 10 .- A theatrical advance agent has started a sensation in St. Louis by causing cardboards to be tacked and hung and pasted about the city wherever his men could find the space, When the train came to a stop, two miles away, the men told him to cut the engine them to the express car. Messenger Norton was told to open the door, which he did, and was represented on the card, conveying the

the amount secured all the way from \$1,000 read and the newspaper onces were nooted to \$10,000. The robbers had dynamite, and with telephone and private messages saking would have blown open the express car had if a tornado was really predicted. People the messenger refused to open the door. All in the residence portion of the city gathered. were disguised and heavily armed.

IMPORTERS ARE GREATLY EXCITED

their families together and prepared for trouble. Many of the schools on the south side and in the west end closed as soon as Making a Rush to Get Goods Out of

Bond at Present Duty.

NEW YORK, March 10.—The World says:
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